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Fwd: NO PARK LIGHTS ON AT NIGHT FOR 5 NIGHTS IN A ROW!!

Sophia Pinacortez <sophia.pinacortez@lacity.org>

Mon, Nov 20, 2017 at 8:44 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Albert Torres <albert.torres@lacity.org>

FYI : LAPD does gate closure and officers have been briefed .

spc:-)

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: James Onthank <31513@lapd.online>**Date:** November 20, 2017 at 7:27:32 PM PST**To:** Albert Torres <albert.torres@lacity.org>, Richard Musquiz <47013@lapd.online>, Sophia Pinacortez <sophia.pinacortez@lacity.org>**Cc:** Edward Petterez <34154@lapd.online>, Raymond Lucas <41888@lapd.online>, Emilio Zacarias <n4903@lapd.online>, "jose.monge@lacity.org" <jose.monge@lacity.org>, Ronald Drones <n4778@lapd.online>, John Valdez <30070@lapd.online>, Lee Perry <34733@lapd.online>**Subject:** Re: NO PARK LIGHTS ON AT NIGHT FOR 5 NIGHTS IN A ROW!!

The officers were briefed at roll call and will focus on this issue.

From: Albert Torres <albert.torres@lacity.org>**Sent:** Monday, November 20, 2017 6:42 PM**To:** Richard Musquiz; Sophia Pinacortez**Cc:** Edward Petterez; Raymond Lucas; Emilio Zacarias; jose.monge@lacity.org; Ronald Drones; John Valdez; James Onthank; Lee Perry**Subject:** Re: NO PARK LIGHTS ON AT NIGHT FOR 5 NIGHTS IN A ROW!!

Richard, Sophia,

I recovered the attached photo from this email thread. Clearly a person in a blanket or sleeping bag.

Albert Torres

Captain

Park Rangers

Albert.Torres@lacity.org

Dispatch 323 644-6661

On Mon, Nov 20, 2017 at 12:54 PM, Richard Musquiz <47013@lapd.online> wrote:

Hi Sophia,

Thank you for bringing this to my attention, I have included Lt. Raymond Lucas and the other supervisors on our night watch that oversee the officers on the Gate Closure program. As for locking individual in the park after securing the gates, can you send me the photos that were mentioned in the emails.

Thanks
Rich

Richard Musquiz, Captain
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-----Original Message-----

From: Sophia Pinacortez [mailto:sophia.pinacortez@lacity.org]
Sent: Monday, November 20, 2017 8:27 AM
To: Edward Petterez <34154@lapd.online>
Cc: jose.monge@lacity.org; Richard Musquiz <47013@lapd.online>; Albert Torres <albert.torres@lacity.org>
Subject: Re: NO PARK LIGHTS ON AT NIGHT FOR 5 NIGHTS IN A ROW!!

These Neighbors are on us about the gate closure at Delonge Park .
We need to make sure they are getting closed on time .
We are bring watched .
Much Appreciated !
Gobble , gobble !
spc :-)

Sent from my iPhone

> On Nov 19, 2017, at 7:15 AM, Albert Torres <albert.torres@lacity.org> wrote:
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> SSD LAPD closes. I notified their watch commander Mendoza and asked
> that the message be delivered to the closure supervisor Zacarias.
> Will follow up.

>
> Sent from my iPhone
>

> Albert Torres
> Captain
> Park Rangers
> [323 644-6661](tel:323-644-6661)
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>> On Nov 18, 2017, at 9:39 PM, Sophia Pinacortez <sophia.pinacortez@lacity.org> wrote:

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>> Who closed the gates ???
>> spc ;-)

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>> Sent from my iPhone
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>> Begin forwarded message:
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>> *From:* CRAIG DESILVA <[REDACTED]>
>> *To:* Sophia Pinacortez <sophia.pinacortez@lacity.org>
>> *Cc:* Frank Avila <frank.avila@lacity.org>, Darryl Mack <
>> darryl.mack@lacity.org>, Torres Albert <albert.torres@lacity.org>,
>> Jose Monge <jose.monge@lacity.org>, Juan Benitez
>> <juan.benitez@lacity.org>, Catherine Landers
>> <catherine.landiers@lacity.org>, dan Halden <
>> daniel.halden@lacity.org>, debbie Wehbe <[REDACTED]>,
>> Ferris Wehbe <[REDACTED]>, Monica Carrera David &
>> <[REDACTED]>, Jordan Paul <32285@lapd.online>, Ramon
>> Barajas <ramon.barajas@lacity.org>
>> *Subject:* *Re: NO PARK LIGHTS ON AT NIGHT FOR 5 NIGHTS IN A ROW!!*
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>> Thank you all. Also, to make you aware , whomever your staff is who's
>> locking the Park at night, they are periodically locking transients
>> inside, see picture I took this morning while De Longpre Park was
>> still locked up from last night. This is a liability for the city ,
>> so we have to be sure everyone has exited when locking up the park at night.
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>> [image: image1.JPG]
>> Thank you .
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>> Regards,
>> Craig D
>> De Longpre Park Neighborhood Alliance
>>
>> Sent from my iPhone
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>> On Nov 16, 2017, at 5:49 PM, Sophia Pinacortez
>> <sophia.pinacortez@lacity.org>
>> wrote:
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>> Hi Frank/ Darryl :
>> As of 5:33pm the light are not on .
>> Can you please have the timer reset to 5 pm -6:30 am ?
>> Thanks ,
>> spc :-)
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>> Sent from my iPhone
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>> On Nov 15, 2017, at 8:22 AM, Sophia Pinacortez
>> <sophia.pinacortez@lacity.org>
>> wrote:
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>> Thank You 😊
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>> Sent from my iPhone
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>> On Nov 15, 2017, at 6:32 AM, Frank Avila <frank.avila@lacity.org> wrote:

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>> Good morning,
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>> The timer was replaced by RAP Electrician and programmed for the
>> hours of 5 pm until 730 am. We'll double check operation today.
>>
>> Thank you
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>> On Tue, Nov 14, 2017 at 5:51 PM, Sophia Pinacortez <
>> sophia.pinacortez@lacity.org> wrote:
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>>> UPDATE :
>>> The lights went on (Thank You) however is it possible to have the
>>> timer changed to 5 pm ?
>>> The children are walking home from practice in the dark .
>>> Much Appreciated ,
>>> spc ;-)
>>>
>>> Sent from my iPhone
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>>> On Nov 14, 2017, at 5:30 PM, CRAIG SILVA [REDACTED] > wrote:
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>>> Also, we need a contact number for you all.
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>>> Craig-[REDACTED] >
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>>> On Nov 14, 2017, at 5:26 PM, CRAIG SILVA <[REDACTED]> wrote:
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>>> Sophia, Albert, Juan,
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>>> As per your request to let you know Sophia, there are NO lights on
>>> and it is Pitch black here at 5:30. What is the issue now? What time
>>> is the timer set for?
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>>> I would like you guys to meet me at the Park tomorrow. I will take
>>> time out of my work day to accommodate you, this as you imagine is
>>> frustrating, but it CANNOT go 1 more day without lighting, This is
>>> an invite for serious Crime.
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>>> Frustrated
>>> Craig
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>>> On Nov 14, 2017, at 11:23 AM, Sophia Pinacortez <
>>> sophia.pinacortez@lacity.org> wrote:
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>>> Hello Craig :
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>>> As Albert indicated the electricians should be going out today
>>> however if for any unknown reason the lights do not go on PLEASE let us know.
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>>> Warm regards 🌟 ,

>>> spc :-)

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>>>> On Tue, Nov 14, 2017 at 9:26 AM, CRAIG SILVA <[REDACTED]> wrote:

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>>>> Sophia,

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>>>> Thank you for your prompt response to this matter, I am
>>>> respectfully appreciative to all of your department colleagues for
>>>> their immediate response and attention to this matter as well and for this
prompt solution.

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>>>> I look forward to seeing the results this evening.

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>>>> With Appreciation,

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>>>> Craig DeSilva

>>>> De Longpre Park Neighborhood Alliance

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>>>> On Nov 14, 2017, at 6:15 AM, Sophia Pinacortez <

>>>> sophia.pinacortez@lacity.org> wrote:

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>>>> Albert and Jose :

>>>> Your personal efforts and follow up are appreciated!

>>>> Craig :

>>>> Teamwork makes things happen.

>>>> Thank You for being our extra pair of eyes !

>>>> spc :-)

>>>>

>>>> Sent from my iPhone

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>>>> On Nov 13, 2017, at 10:16 PM, CRAIG DESILVA <[REDACTED]> wrote:

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>>>> And an apology to you Jose , I see you sent me an email at 10 am
>>>> this morning that I missed saying you would check into this. I do
>>>> appreciate knowing you responded, only sorry I hadn't seen it.

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>>>> None the less, I had hoped the situation would have been rectified
>>>> by this evening being so many days without.

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>>>> In the end, it appears Albert, & Yourself as well as the Parks and
>>>> Rec team seem to have it in order.

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>>>> Thank you , will keep an eye out for lights to be on tomorrow evening .

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>>>> Craig

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>>>> Sent from my iPhone

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>>>> On Nov 13, 2017, at 8:12 PM, Albert Torres

>>>> <albert.torres@lacity.org>

>>>> wrote:

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>>>> Craig,

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>>>> I'll check on the work order to return the park lights back on,
>>>> first thing in the morning. Your writing sparks memories of the
>>>> Hollywood Sentinels, an incredible group under the leadership of
>>>> Virginia Sharon, Thanks for letting us know.

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>>>> Albert

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>>>> *Albert Torres*Captain

>>>> Park Rangers

>>>> Albert.Torres@lacity.org

>>>> Dispatch 323 644-6661 <(323)%20644-6661>

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>>>> On Mon, Nov 13, 2017 at 7:39 PM, CRAIG SILVA <>

>>>> wrote:

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>>>>> Dear Albert, Sophia, Juan,

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>>>>> I sent an email out last week to both Catherine Landers and to
>>>>> Jose Monge regarding the upcoming Holiday weekend and the NEED to
>>>>> get the De Longpre Park Lights turned back ON!

>>>>>

>>>>> To no avail did I get a response from either Catherine Landers, or
>>>>> Jose Monge, however at least Jose had spoken to me the first time
>>>>> I called him more than a week and a half ago about the same issue,
>>>>> and then immediately corrected the issue.

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>>>>> By end of last week, we were back to having NO LIGHTS in De
>>>>> Longpre Park. THIS IS NOT OK. This time, no response from Jose
>>>>> either, so I assumed this was being put to the side, hence this
>>>>> additional email to you 3, Albert, Sophia, and Juan, and all CC'd.

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>>>>> The Park had been deemed a Priority Park quite some time ago due
>>>>> to drug activity, (Use and Sale of), Street worker activity, (
>>>>> hookers both straight and Trans), and a plethora of other issues
>>>>> including assaults and vandalism of residents cars around the
>>>>> park. Not addressing a safety issue such as security lighting,
>>>>> etc. in a Public City Park being kept open til
>>>>> 10:30 PM 7 days a week, is a MAJOR CITY LIABILITY!
>>>>> Ask the LAPD, Paul Jordan is copied on this email as he is on all
>>>>> my emails of this nature, because he works Tirelessly on keeping
>>>>> the Park and the neighborhood safe and as Crime Free as possible
>>>>> all day long during his shifts. .

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>>>>> I spent many years participating in CPAB meetings as the CHNC C0
>>>>> Chair of Public Safety, and I can near to guarantee this will be a
>>>>> bigger issue if not addressed immediately, tomorrow by the latest.

[illegible]

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